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# The Paducah Sun.

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PADUCAH, KY., TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1905.

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## REBELLIOUS SUBJECTS ARE CRUSHED AGAIN

### Men Are Restrained, But Only as is the Wild Beast.

#### Gosky and Others Proclaim a "Future Provisional Government" and Issue a Manifesto.

## NO MORE BLOODSHED, STRIKE GROWS

### ROYAL FAMILY PROSTRATED.

Paris, Jan. 24.—Correspondents of the French papers say that the Russian imperial family is prostrated with terror. The czar is dejected and greatly worried by reports that numbers of strikers are marching on St. Petersburg.

### PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT.

London, Jan. 24.—The Telegraph's St. Petersburg correspondent reports that as the outcome of meetings of the reform party of Gosky, Anensky, Arsenieff and others, and their adherents Saturday night and Sunday, a body of men has been constituted who regard themselves as the future provisional government of Russia. As yet, the correspondent says, they are political ciphers; but they hope some sudden stroke of luck will enable them to overturn the existing regime, and at the same time they recognize the fact that non-success may lead them to Siberia, or the tomb.

Gosky and the others issued the following manifesto: "Every foreign loan contracted after Sunday, January 22, we will unhesitatingly repudiate, because no nation can now loan the Russian government in good faith or in ignorance because of the fact that the people and bureaucracy are struggling to determine which of them shall really represent the nation."

### LEAVING FOR PLACES OF SAFETY.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—Thousands of strikers at noon assembling in Nevsky Prospects. This locality contains the homes of many of the fashionable element of the city. Outgoing trains are carrying the wives and children of prominent St. Petersburg citizens to places of safety. A number of government printers resumed work this morning. A thousand are still idle at the electric works, which shut down last night as a result of the workmen going out, and are now manned by military electricians. The current was switched on again this morning.

### OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF DEAD.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—The government has issued an official statement through the columns of the official messenger, stating that there were no serious clashes yesterday and no casualties occurred. The number of casualties Sunday is reported at from fifty-three registered ambulances at ninety-six killed and 366 wounded. The strikers last night attempted to plunder the big Universal provender store, but were repelled. All the rifles in the Sestroretsk rifle factory were taken by strikers.

### Mutiny of Russian Soldiers.

London, Jan. 24.—Specials to London papers bristle with sensational statements. A correspondent at Kioff of the Express asserts that naval depots at Sevastopol have been destroyed by revolutionary outbreak of sailors of the Black Sea fleet and gives circumstantial details of thousands of these men rising and taking their officers and firing and destroying buildings while the troops summoned to quell the revolt refused to fire at all or fired in the air.

Other dispatches report soldiers killed by bomb throwing, raiding of government rifle factories, etc., none of which can be confirmed in any responsible quarter.

### Strike is Growing.

Moscow, Jan. 24.—The strike movement is spreading through the Moscow district. This morning the gas works are idle, and guarded by troops, and the same conditions prevail at the electric works. The printers have struck and there will be no papers in Moscow today. There has been no fighting yet, but men are marching about the city gathering recruits from the factories and stores as they go.

### Controlled by Beasts.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—Despite the quiet which pervades the city, there are constant small outbreaks which show that the fighting of revolution is far from dormant. The men are like wild beasts held in check by an overpowering influence, but let them once taste victory and death alone could stop them.

### Threatens to Kill.

London, Jan. 24.—A dispatch from Moscow to Reuters' Telegram company, says: "The deputy prefect has issued a proclamation warning the public, in view of the strike, to avoid assemblages and processions, otherwise the same severe measures will be adopted as at St. Petersburg."

### Rioting at Kovno.

Kovno, Russia, Jan. 24.—The strike movement is growing here and rioting today began. No serious damage has yet resulted. Kovno is on the border of Germany and has

few residents.

### Goes to Moscow.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—It is reported today that Father Gopon has gone to Moscow to conduct the strikers propaganda there.

### Officers Arrested.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—Davidoff, captain, and Kurozoff, senior officer of the battery from which the loaded shell was fired on January 19, striking the imperial pavilion and other buildings, have been arrested.

### To Seize Provisions.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—A report has gained currency that the strikers intend to storm the market on Vassilostrof and seize the provision there.

At Kolpino, twelve miles up the river, a body of workmen who had started for St. Petersburg to join the strikers, were stopped and fired upon by soldiers. Accounts as to the number of killed or wounded conflict.

### A Clash Reported.

London, Jan. 24.—A telegram from St. Petersburg reports that a conflict between strikers and Cossacks occurred late this afternoon.

### Message From Gopon.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—Father Gopon today sent the following message to his followers: "Zar" does not exist. No longer pray for liberty."

### Agitators Are Arrested.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—Emissaries of the socialist party are again distributing proclamations among the strikers today. These proclamations inveigh against autocracy, the emperor and officials for their treatment of peasants and the cruel firing on defenseless men and women Sunday. They conclude with a slogan, "Long live the revolution, long live constituent assembly and representatives of the people."

Several arrests of agitators were made this afternoon.

No man wastes as much time as the man who never wastes any in kindness.

## DID "DOCK" BOYD TAKE HIS OWN LIFE?

### Well Known Horse Trader Found Dead Today.

### His Bride Left Him and Yesterday Removed Her Clothing From His Home.

### HAD LIVED HERE MANY YEARS

O. C. Boyd, better known as "Dock" Boyd, a well known horse trader, was found dead in bed about 10 o'clock this morning at his home 523 South Second street by Charles Inman, who resides with his brother in the other side of the house. It is thought to be a case of suicide.

Boyd arrived home last night about 10:20 o'clock in charge of some one, and after being put to bed, his neighbors heard him groaning as if in great pain, and finally about 10:30 o'clock Mr. George Inman went in and begged Boyd to let him call a doctor. The man declined, and Mr. Inman left him.

This morning he failed to feed his horse at the usual time, and finally his body was found cold and stiff. He had evidently been dead several hours, and his body was discolored as if from morphine poisoning.

When Boyd reached home last night he was vomiting and appeared to be very ill, but as he did not seem to want a doctor, nothing further was done by the family next door when they heard him groan at various intervals during the night. The last time Mr. Inman remembers hearing him was about 6 o'clock this morning, when he was heard to say, "The Lord have mercy."

It was four hours later that Mr. Charles Inman went in and shouted to Boyd and upon investigation found him dead.

It is the general belief that it is a case of suicide. Boyd had been married three times, his first two wives being dead. About two months ago he married Mrs. A. Cathey, but they separated four weeks ago.

Yesterday she went to the house and took away her clothing and other property, which seemed to grieve Boyd very much, and he is alleged to have afterwards threatened to commit suicide, because of his domestic troubles.

The dead man had been a stock trader hereabout for the past twenty-five years and had lived on South Second street for nine years. He has a wealthy brother, T. H. Boyd, in Chicago, and two sisters who are said to live in Nashville. He was known all over this section of the country. He was a picturesque looking character at times, always wearing a wide slouch hat, and having long, drooping moustache. He would have made a typical cowboy.

After the corpse was found Coroner Crow and Detective T. J. Moore were notified and made an investigation of the case, deciding to hold a postmortem and ascertain the cause of death.

The records at the court house show that Boyd was born in Eastern Kentucky, and was 52 years old. He was married to Mrs. Alphonse Cathey October 31.

The inquest this afternoon failed to develop any proof of suicide and it was decided not to hold a postmortem. County Physician Pendley made an examination and stated that there were no external traces of poison.

The evidence showed that Boyd had been complaining for several days of being slightly ill, and he may have died from natural causes.

The verdict of the coroner's jury was that he came to his death from unknown causes.

### WILL WIND UP THE ESTATE OF HIS BROTHER

B. Frank Billington, of Woodville, left Friday for Bachelor, La., to settle up the affairs of his brother, Charles Billington, who was murdered there about ten days since.

### DIES FROM ACCIDENT.

Ormond, Fla., Jan. 24.—Frank Crocker, of New York, died of injuries received yesterday in an automobile accident.

The past several days have made skating at Wallace park very fine, and today many skaters are out, while tonight a large crowd is promised.

## WORKING ON CLUE TO DISCLOSE CRIME

### Man Found Dead Near Mayfield May be Known.

### Patrol Driver John Austin Thinks He Was a Painter Named Os- well, of Paducah.

### THE MAN HAS DISAPPEARED

Patrol Driver John Austin, of Paducah, and Marshal McNutt, of Mayfield, are working on a clue which may reveal the identity of the man found dead with his throat cut in a hay stack on a farm near Mayfield several weeks ago.

Marshal McNutt was in Paducah a short time ago conferring with Officer Austin but nothing definite resulted from the conference. He came, it is understood, to investigate a clue he was working on and got just the information he wanted.

Officer Austin knew the man and his past history and it is said Marshal McNutt is working from the other end to bring the facts together.

The theory is that the man found dead is Oswell, a painter formerly residing near Fourth and Kentucky avenue here, and who separated from his wife and had since been a tramp. He has disappeared and no trace can be found of him, and McNutt thinks the dead man and Oswell are the same. This belief is shared by Officer Austin, it is said, and also J. C. Harris, a railroad man in Mayfield, who knew Oswell. The wife is said to live in Cairo now.

Officer Austin said today that there had been nothing definite done in the case, and it might be a day or two before anything could be given out. It was reported in Mayfield today that warrants were likely to be issued for the alleged murder of the man at any time.

### AFTER LONG ILLNESS.

### Mr. William Gholson Died of a Complication of Diseases.

Mr. William D. Gholson, after a long illness from a complication of diseases, died last evening at his home, 1910 Broad street, age 38. The deceased was a lumber inspector and was a popular man, having resided in Paducah and the county all his life.

He leaves a wife and six children, and two brothers, Messrs. Burton and Walter Gholson, and a sister, Mrs. Ed Greif. He was a nephew of Dr. J. G. Brooks.

The funeral will take place tomorrow morning, the time to be decided on later, burial at Oak Grove.

### BOY HAS DONE NOTHING; GOES TO REFORM SCHOOL.

Marshal Bryant, the 16-year-old boy who applied to Chief of Police James Collins to send him to the reform school, will be taken to Lexington and placed in the school, Chief Collins having received a telegram saying he would be accepted.

Young Bryant says he wants to escape evil companions.

Detective T. J. Moore will take him to Lexington tonight.

### NEW MARKET HOUSE TO BE OPENED SATURDAY.

Today the board of public works is having the new market put in shape for service. The butchers are putting in light fixtures and think they will be finished in time to open up Saturday morning. Every attempt will be made to have the new market house in service by that time.

### \$35,000 IN MULES BURNED IN EAST ST. LOUIS.

East St. Louis, Jan. 24.—In a fire which destroyed three large barns of the National horse and mule market, with eight carloads of baled hay, nearly one hundred mules were burned to death. Loss \$35,000.

Mrs. Henry Finney, aged 33, died today from pneumonia at 153 Farley street, after a week's illness. She was daughter-in-law of Capt. Dan Finney, and a most estimable lady, leaving a husband and two children. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, burial at Oak Grove.

## UNCLE SAM SUMMONS PADUCAH MACHINIST

### Wanted to go to Chicago and Testify.

### Lottery Alleged to Have Been Oper- ated There and Tickets Sold to Local Shop Men.

### TRIAL SET FOR JANUARY 30

Great excitement prevailed in the I. C. shops here yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock when Deputy U. S. Marshal George Saunders, accompanied by a young gentleman of very shrewd appearance who had been deputized for the purpose of identification, strolled through the shops in quest of M. McMahon, a machinist employed at the shops wanted as a witness in the case against L. A. Goughlin and J. H. Dallan, in Chicago, charged with using the mails to fraudulently conduct a lottery system. The employees of the shops knew the genial deputy marshal and knew his visit to the shops meant something and were much puzzled until McMahon was located and service secured.

It seems that McMahon acted as agent for the Chicago men and it is said sold something like 300 tickets in an alleged lottery here last summer. Clarence Ellithorpe, a Paducah machinist, is said to have assisted McMahon, but he is in Chicago working and has been summoned in that city. The summons commanded McMahon to appear in Chicago on the 30th to appear as a witness, and the report that he was wanted on an indictment is erroneous.

Many shop men bought tickets in the loan company, which the operators allege is not a lottery, and many failed to understand the company at all and have held their tickets merely as keepsakes. A reporter secured one of the tickets which reads:

"The Old Reliable Guaranty Loan and Trust Company of California." This is the head of the ticket and under it is printed in large letters over smaller printing giving conditions, the words "Bond and Loan Application."

The certificate has a very innocent appearance but the government thinks it a lottery and will investigate it thoroughly.

McMahon was not required to give any bond for his appearance, the summons merely being read, and will go in time to attend the trial.

It is authoritatively stated that no action will be taken against the Paducah men who are alleged to have acted as agents. They are merely wanted as witnesses.

## CAPITOL REMOVAL SEEMS ASSURED

### Test Vote Was Taken in the House Today.

### The Vote There Was 48 to 23—Capt. W. C. Clark Against a New Site.

### VOTE IN THE SENATE NEXT

Frankfort, Jan. 24.—Representative Drewry, of Louisville, won a substantial victory for the advocates of a new capitol site today by getting action on his concurrent resolution that the old capitol site is inadequate, unsightly, and unsuitable. The resolution will go to the senate for concurrence.

All the Republicans present except W. C. Black, F. C. Nolin and A. D. Park, voted against the Drewry resolution. The Republicans mentioned were present but did not vote. Fred A. Vaughan, Republican, was absent.

The Democrats who voted against the Drewry resolution were: Sam Black, W. C. Clark, W. D. Claybrook, Sam D. Cochran, J. W. Cravens, J. A. Frazier, W. I. Hughes, John R. Ray, J. T. Scott, H. L. Stevens and A. S. Thompson. The vote was 48 to 23.

## CITY SUPERVISORS MAKE FEW CHANGES

### There Have Been Both Raises and Decreases.

### Not Enough to Have Much Effect On the Assessment—City After the Loan Companies.

### LICENSES ARE COMING SLOWLY.

Not much encouragement comes from the board of city supervisors in regard to an increased assessment this year. The board has made many changes, some being raises and some decreases, but there have thus far been none that will make any great change in the total assessment in Paducah of last year.

A great many people are interested in the assessment, not only because it involves many of them personally, but because it will decide the tax rate for the year. If the assessment is large enough, the tax rate may be as low as now, or no higher than now, \$1.65. But from present indications the tax rate may be as high as \$1.85, then there is a prospect of not having enough money for many things that are worst needed, as it is.

Several city officials seem to be pleased with the prospect of doing something to some of the smaller loan companies. They claim that it is necessary to protect poor people from being "gouged."

"It works this way in some of them," declared an official today. "You borrow \$5, and must pay, say \$1.35 a week for five weeks. At the end of five weeks you have been paying interest at the rate of about 25 per cent, but that isn't the worst. I understand that some of them stipulate that if a borrower misses a week, he forfeits what he has already paid, and has to begin over, or lose what he has put up as collateral, which is always worth much more than the amount borrowed."

"One case reported here was of someone who borrowed \$20 on a piano. When it was reported here \$37 had already been paid back, and there was still \$31 claimed against the piano. This sort of robbery ought to stop, even if the poor unfortunates who are victimized need the money so badly that they are willing."

Owing to the high officials who are now preparing to put their foot down on it, there is a prospect of early results. The companies aimed at do not include the larger, legitimate concerns.

City Treasurer John Dorian stated this morning that licenses were coming in rather slowly, and the public should realize after the first of the next month the 10 per cent. penalty would go on.

"You may say that we do not want to collect a penalty," he explained, "as we think the principal enough, and would like to see all merchants come in and pay before we have to affix the penalty. The saloon licenses are all about in and this year we issued 96, an increase of about 10 saloons over last year, I think."

### JAPS REPULSED.

### They Leave 200 Dead and Wounded On the Field.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—Gen. Kuropatkin reports that the Russians repulsed our Japanese attacks against Sinbetchin Sunday and Monday. The Japanese retired, leaving two hundred dead and wounded on the field.

## TODAY'S MARKETS

	Open.	Closed.
Wheat—		
May .....	1.14%	1.14%
July .....	98%	98%
Corn—		
May .....	44%	44%
July .....	45%	45%
Oats—		
May .....	30%	30%
July .....	30%	30%
Pork—		
May .....	12.95	13.05
Cotton—		
Mar .....	6.68	6.61
May .....	6.76	6.69
July .....	6.88	6.78
Stocks—		
I. C. ....	1.55	1.54%
L. & N. ....	1.37%	1.35%



## BOTH LOCAL BOARDS MET LAST EVENING

### The Electric Railway Ordinance up Again.

### New Market House Was Accepted By the City Without Ob- jection.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARDS

The municipal legislative boards met last night in special session for the purpose of passing on the public improvement committee's report on the new market house contract.

Before the joint meeting, Mayor Yeiser called the boards together as a committee of the whole for the purpose of submitting a resolution to place the new market house in the hands of the board of public works, so that numbers could be placed on all stalls, benches and other equipment at the new market house, to prevent a complication in issuing license for the benches. The city was sued and lost case for re-renting a bench at the market house and specific arrangements were made in the resolution to prevent such an occurrence again.

The matter was discussed relative to how the benches should be rented, etc., some favoring renting for half a year and others for the entire year.

The matter was then left open for each board to act on separately.

#### Council Meeting.

The council was called to order with a full attendance, and Mayor Yeiser read his call.

The report of the public improvement committee was read. The committee found the contract complete in every detail except the storm water sewer connections, which were delayed by the failure of the sewers on Kentucky avenue to be in readiness for service.

Contractor Katterjohn stated that he was ready to connect as soon as the street sewers were in.

The recommendation of the committee to receive the new market house, was concurred in unanimously.

Insurance policies amounting to several thousand dollars, on the new market house, expiring in February, were presented to the council by Contractor Katterjohn and the thanks of the board extended.

The matter of getting out printed back rate lists was referred.

The matter of fixing ice wagon license tax was referred.

The matter of fixing a license tax on sand wagons was referred.

Mayor Yeiser stated that he had instructed the clerk and proper officials not to issue any more license to loan companies because the rates charged were too heavy, and he thought the loan companies should be shut off if what he had heard was true regarding them. The matter was referred to the license committee, and the treasurer instructed to issue no more loan license until the matter was looked into.

Mayor Yeiser stated that complaint had been lodged of tobacco wagons blocking the sidewalk on West Broadway near 10th street.

Mr. Luther Graham, of the warehouse company, spoke a few words in defense of the tobacco men. He said when the city had Broadway blocked, the private alley of the tobacco men was ruined by public travel, permitted for convenience to the city at large. He wanted to have the city give the tobacco men 15 minutes to load one wagon in.

There is an ordinance now in ef-

fect prohibiting blocking the pavements, and Mayor Yeiser stated the city could remedy the matter by ordinance, only, and would recommend that the matter be referred to the street and ordinance committee.

The warehouse people did not want to risk being arrested, and wanted the city to give a special permit to back wagons across the sidewalk.

Mr. P. D. Fitzpatrick, of the Transfer Co., which handles the tobacco hogsheads, stated that the ordinance at present was so constructed that it was impossible to live up to it.

Mayor Yeiser stated he did not think the city should give the special permit to one and not the other, and if one was given such privilege, all should be.

Councilman Taylor moved that the prosecution of the tobacco warehouse people for blocking the streets be held up until the matter could be remedied.

The motion to refer the matter to the street committee was adopted.

The motion to make the city's \$2,000 note, given in payment for the Gilbert property at Tenth and Clay streets, now used as a fire station, into two notes of \$1,000 each, was adopted. This was done in order to divide the money among the Clark heirs, the former owners of the property.

The motion to turn the new market house over to the board of public works was adopted.

The ordinance creating the office of electrical inspector was given a second reading. This is the ordinance presented by the insurance men.

The ordinance giving the Paducah and Cairo electrical road right of way from Third and Clay, out Clay to Eighth and then northwest, across the I. C. tracks, was read.

Mr. John Donovan, agent for the I. C., made a speech against the right of way, saying the I. C. would not fight the road coming into Paducah, but did object to its crossing the I. C. tracks at that point. He said if the city did grant the right of way the I. C. would go to the courts for redress.

Attorney Tom Harrison, of the electrical road, made a short speech exhibiting a plat of the proposed route of his road. He stated the route taken by his road would not interfere with the I. C. in the least.

Councilman Rehkopf stated that every thing the I. C. was asked to do heretofore, even to the putting in of street gates, was fought and that the only thing the I. C. was fighting the electrical road for was because it would require the I. C. to cut freight rates on the Cairo extension. The ordinance was given second reading.

The bond of City Physician Rivers was accepted.

President Ingram, who had overlooked the appointment of his telephone and telegraph committee, announced the committee. He appointed Councilmen McBroom, Barnett and Taylor.

The board by motion adjourned.

**Board of Aldermen Meeting.**  
The board of aldermen was called to order at 8:40 o'clock with all members present.

President Davis appointed his committees as previously announced and the report of the public improvement committee recommending the acceptance of the new market house contract read. The action of the council in accepting the job was concurred in.

The matter of printing a card of hack rates was referred to the printing committee.

The action of the council in regard to regulating loan company license, was ratified. Also the matter of relieving the barbers of a bath room license tax; also the matter of making two notes of \$1,000 out of the \$2,000 note for the Tenth and Clay street fire station property; also the acceptance of City Physician Rivers' bond.

The matter of granting W. N. Levan privilege of operating a ferryboat across Tennessee river, from Paducah to Livingston Point, was referred.

The apportionment ordinance was placed on second passage without change.

The ordinance creating the office of city electrician was read.

Alderman Bell spoke in favor of the inspector, but thought that Chief Woods, of the fire department, ought to do the work. Mayor Yeiser stated that the chief of the fire department was supposed to look after the wiring and this was the purpose of the ordinance.

Alderman Kraus thought if the ordinance meant the creating of an assistant to Chief Woods, he was against it, as he thought the insurance men should look after bad wiring if it was of such vital importance and meant a protection to them. He stated he was against hiring an extra man, or increasing the duties of

## DURING ALL THIS WEEK

WE WILL CONTINUE OUR

# Annual Clearance Sale

Everything in the house will be priced to move the goods out quickly. We are bound to clean up all odds and ends of the season's selling before going to market. Everything in the stock is a bargain at our sale prices.

To make the selling more attractive we will offer Special Bargains in some department each morning between

## 9 and 11 o'clock

**Monday**  
Table Linens

**Tuesday**  
Comforts and Blankets

**Wednesday**  
Dress Goods

**Thursday**  
White Goods

**Friday**  
Domestics

**Saturday**  
Flannelettes and Outings

### WEDNESDAY SPECIAL—9 TO 11

4 pieces 72-inch Heavy White Table Linen, worth \$1.25, for . . . **98c**

4 pieces Red Table Linen at . . . . . **44c**

Special prices on all white fringed and unfringed Bedspreads,

Every one of these Specials are priced below wholesale prices, but this loss we are willing to stand to have you come in and see all of our other good things. Watch this space each evening for the following day's special prices. We refund railroad fares to out-of-town customers within a radius of 25 miles, who purchase goods to the amount of twenty dollars.

## ELL GUTHRIE & CO.

315 Broadway

Paducah, Ky.

#### Fire Chief Woods.

President Davis stated he was opposed to creating a new office such as the ordinance suggested.

The ordinance was given first reading by a vote of 7 to 1, Alderman Kraus voting no.

The electrical railway ordinance brought forth much comment.

Alderman Farley stated that he understood all the electrical railroad wanted was simply to get into the city, but as he was unacquainted with the lower end of town, would like to be excused from voting.

Alderman Bell stated that the I. C. had a regular net work of tracks in the vicinity of the crossing of the electrical road, and did not think the road should cross at Eighth street, but find a more suitable place. He said he would not favor the crossing at Eighth street because it looked like the electrical road had picked the worst place to cross.

Alderman Starks also stated he thought the site crossing very poorly selected. Alderman Bell stated he would not favor the ordinance because one strip of ground where the I. C. had located extra tracks, was in dispute, and might cause a future complication.

Attorney Jno. G. Miller, who represented the electrical road, claimed the city owned the property at the crossing.

Alderman Farley moved to lay the ordinance over until the next meeting in order to let everybody see the exact situation and vote intelligently on the ordinance. The motion to give first reading preceded that of Alderman Farley, and the ordinance given first reading by a vote of 5 to 3, the republicans voting nay.

A petition from property owners to gravel Twenty-first street from Broadway to Jackson was referred.

President Davis recommended that the matter of deciding what streets should be improved this year be done immediately, but as the board of public works had a report to come in shortly, the matter was left open.

The action of the council in regard to the tobacco warehouse people blocking Broadway near Tenth street was ratified.

The board, by motion, adjourned.

**HAS STOOD THE TEST 25 YEARS**  
GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. The first and original tasteless chill tonic. 25 cents.

Subscribe for The Sun.

## \$550 IN PRIZES TO BE GIVEN BY THE SUN

A \$250 Piano, \$100 in Gold, Three Gold Watches, a Runabout and Two Handsome Umbrellas.

The Sun's announcement yesterday of its great voting contests has created much interest among its readers who know and appreciate just what The Sun's popularity contests are.

Already the votes are coming in and in a few days the fun will be fast and furious.

The Sun proposes to give away prizes as follows:

To the most popular ladies' in Paducah:

A Piano,  
A Gold Watch,  
An Umbrella.

To the most popular men in Paducah:

\$100 in Gold,  
A Gold Watch,  
An Umbrella.

To the most popular lady residing on the rural routes in this county:

A Gold Watch.

To the most popular man residing on the rural routes in this county:

A Buggy.

The piano is "The Valley Gem," sold by W. T. Miller, and is one of the best pianos he sells. It is valued at \$250.

The watch for the first contest is on exhibition at Nagel & Meyer, for the second at J. L. Wolff's, for the third contest, at Warren & Warren's.

The buggy for the most popular man in the county, is one Powell & Rogers sell for \$65, and can be seen at their place of business.

The most popular people in these respective cases are to be settled by a voting contest The Sun will conduct.

The contest started Monday and will end March 31st. The votes will be counted for the first time and announced Saturday.

In each issue of The Sun will be found ballots for use in voting and each ballot will count as one vote in each contest.

Special coupons will be issued for

payments on subscriptions as a study of the schedule in the ad of the contest in another part of this issue will show.

I vote for

As the most popular lady residing on the rural routes in the county.  
Not good after Jan. 30, '05.

I vote for

As the most popular man residing on the rural routes in the county.  
Not good after Jan. 30, '05.

I vote for

As the most popular lady in Paducah.  
Not good after Jan. 30, '05.

I vote for

As the most popular man in Paducah.  
Not good after Jan. 30, '05.

## FOUL PLAY

A RESIDENT OF CRITTENDEN COUNTY FOUND FATALITY WOUNDED.

Shim Watson Supposed to Have Been Assaulted Unexpectedly in the Woods.

News of the death at his home in Crittenden county of Shim Watson, a well-known man, was brought to the city last evening by several gentlemen from Smithland, Ky. Watson lived about twenty-five miles from Smithland, and Saturday was in Smithland to give his deposition in some land case. The attorneys did not get to him, and he returned home late Saturday.

When he failed to return Monday, it was earned that Sunday he was found unconscious near his home covered with stab wounds, and died before he could tell anything about the assault. He was about 55 years old and was under indictment for assaulting a man named Tackwell. It is understood there had been something of a small feud in the neighborhood, but it is not known who did the cutting.

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#### TAKEN BACK HOME.

John Bell, the Lyon county man arrested in the Clark's river section Saturday for lunacy, and who was to have been tried yesterday afternoon in circuit court, was taken to Eddyville last night by his brother. Bell disappeared from home while ill and his relatives were unable to trace him until they read an account of his arrest here in the Sun. Mr. Oscar Bell came after him.

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Eva Tanguay and the presentation of her new musical travesty, "The Sambo Girl."

In "The Sambo Girl" Miss Tanguay is said to have found a particularly suitable vehicle for the display of her unique personality, and her management have supplemented this by supplying her with a splendid company.

Miss Tanguay and "The Sambo Girl" will form the attraction at The Kentucky tomorrow night. Seats now on sale.

Since W. C. Crain produced "A Trip to Africa," the excellent musical comedy, with John Larkins as the stellar attraction, he has gained for the production such favorable comment that he himself has been favorably and pleasantly surprised.

Larkins is supported by a comedy of thirty artists of ability, and the offering is one that appeals to the appreciation of any audience, especially if it is one that loves the perfect in music. The company opened their season at the Third Avenue Theatre, New York, to a tremendous business.

They will appear at The Kentucky Thursday night. Balcony for colored people take night.

A pretty girl, dressed in white representing each state in the Union is a feature of the big rally scene in George Ade's, "The County Chairman," which Henry W. Savage offers at the Kentucky on Friday night.

It is at the close of this scene, which takes place in an open grove near Antioch, a Middle Western Village, that the two political factions have a grand set to which is starting in its realism. This takes place just after Tillford Wheeler the young candidate for states attorney has denounced Judge Rigby, his opponent, as a first class, all around scamp. Seats on sale Thursday morning 10 a. m.

The production of the famous morality play "Everyman," at The Kentucky tonight by Rudolph E. Magnus and his company, cannot fail to arouse the interest not only of regular theatre-goers, but of the clergy and church members, and all students of literature and history. No modern dramatic work has created such a deep impression as this strange old play of the Middle Ages, which is known to have been frequently played in England and western Europe during the fifteenth century.

To insure an intelligent and artistic performance, Mr. Magnus has surrounded himself with an exceptionally capable company of experienced

artists.

Mr. Magnus' interpretation of the exacting title role and the work of his associates have been very highly commended by the critics.

Special scenery and elaborate costumes designed from old English drawings, will add to the interest in this engagement, which promises to be one of the most notable of the season.

With many plays, the last act is tacked on, merely to straighten out the tangles, and wind up things happily. This is not the case with this



MISS GELDO VARESE.  
In Everyman, at The Kentucky  
Tonight.

Majesty and the Maid, in which Mary Emerson will be seen here on Friday matinee and night. The plot is consistent and told in a most interesting manner. There is one character in the play which is not essential to the development of the story. His Majesty and the Maid was one of the few dramatic novelties of last season. That it was appreciated as such was evident from the cordial support given Miss Emerson by press and public. The situations are new, and they have been handled in a novel manner.

Manager English, of The Kentucky, has invited the ministers of the city to attend the production of "Everyman" at The Kentucky tonight, and most of them have accepted.

Subscribe for The Sun.

Fresh Horehound Drops

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### BIDS OPENED.

Bids were yesterday opened by Architect Schmidt for the new Livingston building to be erected on North Second street, where the wholesale grocery of the concern formerly stood. It is to be three story, and the bids, the contract on which will be let in about two weeks, were as follows, Mr. George Katterjohn, \$8,800; J. W. Lockwood, \$9,288; Gus Lockwood, \$8,847.75; A. C. Coleman, \$10,135; Aree & Nieman, \$9,195; George Ingram, \$9,371; William Karnes, \$9,010; Davis & Dunlap, \$9,397.

### The Good Old Way.

A severe cold or attack of influenza is like a fire, the sooner you combat it the better your chances are to overpower it. But few mothers in this age are willing to do the necessary work required to give a good old-fashioned reliable treatment such as would be administered by their grandmothers, backed by Boschee's German Syrup, which was always liberally used in connection with the home treatment of colds and is still in greater household favor than any known remedy. But even without the application of the old-fashioned aids German Syrup will cure a severe cold in quick time. It will cure colds in children or grown people. It relieves the congested organs, allays the irritation, and effectively stops the cough. Any child will take it. It is invaluable in a household of children. Trial size bottle, 25c; regular size, 75c. For sale by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

Mr. Hal Powell, who has been attending the bedside of his father, Col. L. V. Powell, has returned home to Bardwell.

### AN INNOVATION.

New Kind of Coupling Being Tried On I. C. Trains.

What is known as the McLaughlin conduit is being tried on the first class passenger train engines out of Paducah on the I. C. and if proven successful will permanently replace the old style rubber hose steam connections from the engine to the tank and line of coaches, used in conducting steam for heating purposes.

The old rubber hose often melted and bursted because a great deal of trouble, but the new invention is much stronger and better adapted and is guaranteed not to burst or lose steam. The first was placed on the Cairo accommodation train engine and has proven successful. Ten sets of the couplings have been received and all first class passenger engines will be supplied as the value of the article increases and the officials think it safe to make them permanent.

### Cured Lumbago.

A. B. Canaan, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with Lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another; then different ointments and liniments, gave it up altogether. So I tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of former sufferers." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

—Have you a friend in the county whom you like to present with a new buggy? Read how you can do it on page 8 of the Sun today.

### FITTINGS HERE.

Plant for the Woodworking Department May Not Be Completed Before Spring.

The fittings for the steam heating plant at the woodworking department of the local I. C. shops have arrived and are being prepared by a man especially assigned to this work. It was announced several weeks ago that the road would replace the stoves now in use in the planing mill for radiators and make more room and preclude the possibility of fires. The fitting delayed the immediate installation of the plant, but now the work will be pushed but it is hardly possible the plant will be ready for use before spring is here.

### Imperfect Digestion

Means less nutrition and in consequence less vitality. When the liver fails to secrete bile, the blood becomes loaded with bilious properties, the digestion becomes impaired and the bowels constipated. Herbine will rectify this; it gives tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys, strengthens the appetite, clears and improves the complexion, infuses new life and vigor to the whole system. 50 cents a bottle. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

—The remaining stock of the Famous Pants Factory is being removed by Mr. Louis Levy to 111 South Second street, which building Mr. Levy has leased to close out the stock of the defunct concern.

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Dec. 1..2,939	Dec. 17..2,957
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Dec. 5..2,949	Dec. 21..2,965
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Dec. 7..2,921	Dec. 23..2,965
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Total.....79,950

Average for the month.....2,961

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of December, 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1908.

## Daily Thought.

"No man wastes as much time as the man who never wastes any in kindness."

## The Weather.

Fair and colder tonight with cold wave. Wednesday fair and colder.

## THE RUSSIAN SITUATION.

The situation in St. Petersburg, while had enough, has doubtless been grossly exaggerated. That there is no real danger of a revolution as yet is shown by the comparatively insignificant proportions of the "uprising." Russia is given in the latest census, 129,004,514 people. St. Petersburg, the capital, and the scene of so much bloodshed Sunday, has a population of 1,267,923. It is not claimed even in the most sensational reports that more than a few thousand—and a hundred or two thousand people, at most,—were involved in the demonstration which resulted in such a shedding of blood. Those were a mere handful even in St. Petersburg, and St. Petersburg is only a small part of Russia, hence the talk of a revolution, appears to be unfounded. There are enough people in any country to cause an insurrection if they wanted to, especially in Russia, where it has long been a problem how to control those classes who are urged by the aristocracy on one hand to believe that they are well-treated and satisfied when they are not, and are asked by the socialist-nihilist agitators on the other hand, to believe that they are a great deal worse off than they really are. Russia is a strong nation, and it is more than probable that the claim of the government that Sunday's disorder was a mere local revolt will be borne out by subsequent developments.

It is only a matter of time, however, until the Russian government must change, as all do sooner or later. As the human race progresses in civilization it learns to abhor one-man rule, and revolution and revolt will doubtless come in Russia as in other countries; but when they do, it will not be the lower classes,—the rabble,—who bring it and will rule, but those wise, patriotic men, who, like our own Revolutionary forefathers, wanted freedom for the greatest good to the greatest number.

The mayor of Bridgeport, Conn., has had an ordinance introduced reducing the salary of his office, explaining that he is not worth the \$3,000 a year paid him, and that no other man would be. It is a pity other mayors cannot be equally as conscientious with their constitu-

ents. But then perhaps it's only a good mayor who knows his own worth and is not afraid to let others know it.

It is very evident that the job of auditor's agent is a good thing for somebody. If the men and firms recently sued here owed what was claimed, it is a good thing for them; if they did not owe it, it is a good thing for the agent.

Those who have long wondered why, now know. He was elected because he is such a Smooth Boy

## NOTICE!

Paducah Marine Railway Co. vs. Model Barge or Floating Dock.

Whereas a libel was filed in the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky at Paducah on the 7th day of January, 1905, by the Paducah Marine Railway Co., against the Model Barge or Floating Dock, alleging in substance that said barge is justly indebted to it in the sum of \$374.55 for material and repairs. That said barge is justly indebted to it in said sum, that same has never been paid and prays process against said barge, and that same may be condemned and sold to pay said claim, with cost and expenses.

Now, therefore, in pursuance to the motion under seal of said court, to me directed, I do, hereby give public notice to all persons claiming the said barge or floating dock or in any way interested therein to appear before said United States District Court in the city of Paducah, Ky., on or before the 6th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to interpose their claims and to make their allegations in that behalf.

A. D. JAMES, U. S. M.

W. D. of Ky.

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## HOPE FOR ASTHMATICS.

The Latest Scientific Discovery  
Achieves Marvelous Results.

New York, Jan. 24.—The thousands suffering from asthma will hail with genuine delight the news that a remedy has at last been discovered which not only relieves the distress that attends asthma, bronchitis and catarrh, but completely and permanently cures these diseases. The new discovery, known as Ascatco, has been unusually successful in the most obstinate cases of asthma, some of them of twenty years standing.

The Austrian dispensary, 6 East 14th street, New York City, is now, by special commission, supplying Ascatco free of charge to every one who writes to them for it.

## BODY HELD.

Fireman Not to Be Buried Until  
Relatives Are Heard From.

The remains of John Lally, the river fireman who died Sunday night over the Alex Storrie saloon, of pneumonia, were not buried this morning as intended, but are being held pending word from relatives in Cincinnati.

This morning the police department received a letter from Mr. Edward Maley, of Cairo, who was an intimate friend of Lally, saying that he had a mother and sister residing on Pearl street in Cincinnati and also prominent relatives with money in another Ohio city and if the authorities would telegraph, might receive orders to ship the remains away.

The latter was referred to the plain clothes men who notified Undertakers Nance and Pool who held the remains and telegraphed the mother in Cincinnati. The body will be held pending word from the mother.

Capt. J. F. Browninski, of Jopka, was in the city today.

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## REV. PERRYMAN HAS NOT FULLY DECIDED

Telegraphed That He Was Well  
Pleased With Church.

Rabbi Alexander Will Preach His  
Farewell Sermon Friday  
Evening.

## REV. PINKERTON'S SUCCESS

Members of Rev. G. W. Perryman's family say that he has not decided to leave Paducah. He telegraphed yesterday that he was well pleased with the church at Knoxville, Tenn., but that is all. He will return today, and his family say will next Sunday decide whether or not to accept the Knoxville call.

Rev. W. H. Pinkerton, of the First Christian church, who has been for two weeks in Kenton, Ohio, conducting a series of revival meetings, is having splendid success. There have already been between 20 and 30 additions from the services. It is not known definitely just when Mr. Pinkerton will return as his engagement was for three weeks. He is assisted at Kenton by an evangelistic singer and wife.

The consecration of the Rev. Charles E. Woodcock, D. D., as bishop of Kentucky, will take place tomorrow morning at the St. John Episcopal church, Detroit. The day selected for the consecration commemorates the conversion of St. Paul. Many prominent Louisville churchmen will attend, and probably others from Kentucky. A number of Paducahans received invitations but no one will go from here. Dr. Woodcock expects to reach Kentucky not later than February 3. The Episcopal residence is 1223 Third avenue, Louisville.

The Rt. Rev. Lewis W. Burton, Bishop of Lexington, will be one of the consecrating bishops, and the Rev. J. G. Minnigerode, D. D., of Calvary Episcopal church, Louisville, will be one of the attending presbyters at the service.

The Episcopal churches of Louisville are arranging to give the new bishop and his wife a large reception at the Galt house on February 8th.

Rev. M. E. Chappell, formerly pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church of this city, recently stationed at Brownwood, Tex., has accepted a call to the Cumberland pastorate at Princeton Ky. The North Presbyterian church of Princeton has united with the Cumberland now stationed aanda cmcm shshss Presbyterian church in this call and the two denominations will worship together.

Mr. Chappell was one of the most popular ministers ever in this city, and has many friends here who will be glad to have him back in Kentucky.

The farewell service, of Dr. David Alexander as rabbi of Temple Israel will take place next Friday evening. Dr. Alexander has made many friends here during his residence, and there will be a large crowd beside his own congregation present for the occasion.

Rabbi H. G. Enelow, of Louisville, formerly rabbi of Temple Israel, this city, will probably come to Paducah soon for a little visit and will lecture while here. Dr. Enelow's popularity here will insure him an ovation while in the city.

The Monday afternoon Bible class in charge of Rev. David Wright, rector of Grace Episcopal church, is growing in numbers and interest. There were thirty-three members present yesterday. The study is by books, and Mr. Wright makes the subject very clear in his lecture.

## NOTICE PRINTERS.

Bids for printing the city police court docket will be received and opened at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon in Judge Sanders' office.

HENRY BAILEY,  
City Clerk.

Mr. J. F. David, of Jopka, a prominent stock dealer, is in the city visiting his brother-in-law, Officer Aaron Hurley.

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## IN THE COURTS

## Police Court.

Police Judge D. L. Sanders held a lengthy session of police court this morning.

Herman Cements, Leonard Shelby and Dick Hill, colored, had a general fight in the vicinity of Tenth and Finley streets, in the North end of the city last night, in which they used knives. Neither received serious injuries. The case was continued.

Frank Holland, white, said to be wanted in Livingston county on an old warrant for hog stealing, was ordered held until the Livingston authorities could come after him. He was arrested last night by Special Merchant Officer Presnell.

A white man named Sebree was arrested last night for drunkenness and fined \$1 and costs. An examination this morning by the city physician showed he was suffering from delirium tremens and he was taken to the city hospital for treatment. It is likely the fine will be suspended. Sebree is a sewing machine agent, and a stranger.

Other cases were Geo. Schulte and Sam Liebel, \$10 and costs for fighting; Will Honsby and Nina Robinson, colored, \$20 and costs, immorality; James Graham, white, \$25 and costs and ten days in jail for carrying a concealed weapon; Kid Willis, colored, \$10 and costs, drunk and disorderly. He had a whiskey bottle and a glass when arrested, but no charge of attempted bootlegging was lodged against him; Will Woods, Splitton Hobbs and Charles Bryant, colored, breach of the peace, Woods and Bryant fined \$10 and costs each, Hobbs dismissed; Phillip Rogers, white, late of Brookport, vagrancy, warrant filed away with the understanding that he leave town; Rollie Johnson and Flora Bell, colored, \$20 and costs, immorality; Dick Hill and Katie Powell, colored, were granted a continuance in a breach of the peace case; the case against Mr. Ed. Thurman, white, and Lizzie Bell, colored, breach of the peace, continued. Mr. Thurman ejected the woman from his house for impudence; Boyd Manion, colored, \$50 and costs and 20 days in jail for carrying a concealed weapon.

## County Court.

The ways of the revenue agent are clear when it is seen how Agent Albritton recently worked his rabbit's foot in Paducah. He sued for back taxes on over two million dollars' worth of property, and the cases he compromised were compromised at remarkably low figures, considering everything. He settled with one firm that he claimed in his suit owed on \$150,000 valuation, for \$238.30. The amounts for which he settled are recorded as follows:

Covington Bros. & Co., (partnership firm) \$298.06; S. Fels & Bro., \$796.61; Wallerstein Bros., \$18.10; M. Michael & Bro., \$215.93; Geo. Goodman, \$23.09; M. Livingston & Co., \$121.12; Thompson, Wilson & Co., \$272.06; C. H. Riecke & Sons, \$343.93; Hecht & Co., \$92.78; Friedman, Keiler & Co., \$238.30; Smith & Scott Tobacco factory, \$890.22; Noble, Overby & Co., \$95.50; Langstaff-Orme Mfg. Co., \$316.90; Dryfuss & Weil, \$316.90; Covington Bros. & Co., as corporation, \$233.76; L. B. Ogilvie & Co., \$262.15; Paducah Furniture Mfg. Co., \$316.90.

## Young's Court.

Justice Young tried the case of W. B. Smallman against A. J. Atchison, for \$100 damages for alleged trespass. It is alleged that Atchison trespassed on Smallman's land and cut down trees damaging him to the extent of \$100. The evidence was heard, but the court is reserving its decision.

## Saved Court Costs.

Officers yesterday went to the office of the National Loan company, at Broadway and Fourth streets, and took a lot of furniture belonging to F. N. Gardner, which had been sold by Dominick Gallo, the tailor, who left the city for parts unknown. They had to break in the door, but got the furniture.

## Circuit Court.

Frank Hagerty and mother this morning got a verdict against the Continental Casualty Co. for a policy for \$1,500, the full amount, for the death of Patrick Hagerty.

The deceased held a policy in the casualty company and was run over and killed near Princeton on the I. C.

An agreed judgment was filed in the case of R. T. Lightfoot against Michael Bros., for \$150. The original suit called for \$200, as attorney fee.

The case of Bernard Schroeck against the Jake Biederman Grocery Co. was dismissed without prejudice. In the case of Nelson Vaughan,

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Vaughan went to Dr. Eubanks' a verdict for \$300 was returned.

Vaughan went to Dr. Eubanks' office one day on business and after his departure Dr. Eubanks missed his overcoat. He had Vaughan arrested but later found his coat at the residence of a patient where he had left it, and had the warrant dismissed. The negro sued for \$5,000 damages.

## KNIGHTS NOTICE.

Paducah Commandery No. 11, K. T. will meet in stated convocation this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested and all visiting Knights welcome. By order  
I. O. WALKER, E. C.  
CHAS. HOLLIDAY Recorder.

Detective W. T. Dinneen, of the I. C., is in the city today.



## Special Sale

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### LOCAL LINEA

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.  
—Sign and carriage painting. G. R. Sexton, both phones, 401.  
—Miss Gussie Smith, stenographer and notary public, 118 South Fourth street.  
—For the cleanest and best coal in the city phone 339, Bradley Brothers.  
—The meeting of the Elks' Building committee was last night postponed until this evening.  
—A complete line of blank books, typewriting and carbon paper. Everything needed in the office and the very best, at R. D. Clements & Co.  
—The Sun is going to give the most popular lady in Paducah a \$250 "Valley Gem" piano. Read the announcement of the way it is to be done on page 8 of The Sun.  
—Dr. Foreman Wilson, of Louisville, has been appointed Interim to the I. C. hospital here to succeed Dr. W. L. Coolidge, resigned.  
—Call Palmer Transfer Co. for carriages, baggage wagons and first-class livery rigs. Hack fares and trunks strictly cash. Best service in the city.  
—Mr. John Wilson, a well-known grocer of Smithland, is preparing to move to Paducah to reside.  
—For the cleanest and best coal in the city phone 339, Bradley Brothers.  
—Mr. Rollin Hickman, of Greenville, who smashed a foot several weeks ago will return for another operation in a few days. The foot failed to heal and the operation is necessary.  
—Read the announcements of The Sun's great popularity voting contests on page 8 of The Sun. Over \$500 in prizes to be given away.  
—Mrs. Mattie Rouse, has recovered from a two-weeks' illness, and resumed her place as stenographer for the Paducah furniture factory.  
—Mr. F. H. Flannigan, a sub-foreman in the local I. C. machine shops, has resigned and Mr. Tom Scopes promoted to fill the vacancy.  
—The Sun proposes to give the most popular man in Paducah a hundred dollars in gold. This means the most popular man in any walk of life. Read how it is to be done on page 8 of The Sun.

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### Social Notes and About People.

**Coming Musicals.**  
A feature of the musical to be given by the Woman's Committee of the Y. M. C. A., on Thursday evening in the gymnasium hall which will be comfortably seated will be the violin solo of Prof. Wm. Deal, who will render Andante and Scherzo from the violin and piano sonata composed by Prof. Harry Gilbert. Mr. Gilbert will play the piano accompaniment.

**Complimentary Dance.**  
A number of the society girls will give a dance on Thursday evening at the Palmer house complimentary to the young men. The list went on at Walker's drug store yesterday and the boys were out all morning "rooting for business."

**Entre Nous Theater Party.**  
Miss Bruce Wearan and Miss Marjorie Bagby will entertain the Entre Nous club with a matinee theater party on Saturday afternoon to see Miss Mary Emerson in "His Majesty and the Maid."

**Pit Party Tonight.**  
Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Stutz will entertain at pit this evening at their home on Jefferson street, complimentary to their guest, Miss Jennie Anderson, of Memphis, Tenn.

**To Celebrate Marriage Anniversary.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sugars will entertain the Follencela club and some outside guests this evening at their home on North Sixth street in honor of the 24th anniversary of their marriage.

**Delphic Club.**  
The Delphic club met this morning in regular session at the Carnegie library.

Mr. Clark McTye, of Louisville, is at Hotel New Richmond.  
Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Johnson, of Stuffedfield, are visiting the latter's brother, Mr. J. F. Tatum. Mrs. Johnson was formerly Miss Lena Tatum, of Mayfield, and the husband and wife have been on a short bridal tour.

Dr. J. E. Woelfle was called to Cairo yesterday to attend the son of Mr. Swoboda, who is very ill.  
Dr. J. S. Troutman is ill of la grippe, his many friends will regret to learn.

Mrs. W. E. Galleener, of Vienna, Ill., arrived yesterday en route to Chicago and was the guest of her son, Mr. Ott Adams, day clerk at the Palmer.

Mr. Harry Rhodes has returned from Grand Rapids.  
Engineers Lee Eaker and Ambrose Mercer have gone to Idlewild, Tenn., for a several days' hunt.

Miss Zelma Edwards has gone to Owensboro to attend college.

Mr. Morris May has gone to Cairo to visit.

Mrs. James Caldwell has returned from visiting her mother in Eddyville.

Mr. Sydney Loeb left yesterday for a three months' drumming trip on the Pacific coast.

Capt. Ed Woolfolk has returned from a trip up the Tennessee river.

Miss Lela Pryor, of Potosi, Mo., is visiting Miss Irene Sellers.

Miss Lamonte Edwards, of St. Louis, is visiting Mrs. Edward Rawls.

Mr. Thomas Goodwin, the Mechanicburg barber, is ill from la grippe.

Mr. W. J. Radnedge, of Little Rock, Ark., is visiting parents in Paducah.

Mrs. C. B. Randle, of Little Rock, Ark., and son Clyde, are visiting relatives in Paducah.

Mrs. W. H. Hudson and children of Pine Bluff, Ark., have returned home after a 5-months' visit to Mrs. J. M. Byrd, of Trimble street.

Dr. F. G. LaRue and wife, of Smithland, are at the Palmer.

Auditor's Agent T. C. Albritton, of Louisville, is again in the city on business.

Mr. Harry McCartney, of Greenwood, Ind., is at the Palmer. He is connected with the big canning concern that contemplates locating a plant in Paducah.

Mrs. D. A. Yeiser, wife of the mayor, who has been ill for some time, is able to be up, her many friends will be pleased to learn, but is not yet entirely well.

Mrs. O. T. Davis, of 1118 Clay street, has returned from a month's visit to her parents in Salem, Ind.

Mr. Mason Terry, of Cadiz, Ky., is visiting his cousin, Mr. Muscoe Burnett. He is en route home from Honolulu, where his father, Admiral Terry, had been in charge of a naval station. The father will arrive this spring to visit Mr. Burnett en route home, having recently retired from service, and now being on his way around the world.

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Mr. George M. Tagg, of Memphis, is at the Palmer House.

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#### ILLINOIS CENTRAL

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South Bound	121	103	101
Lv. Cincinnati	6:00pm	8:00pm	8:20pm
Lv. Louisville	7:25am	9:40pm	12:07pm
Lv. Evansville	9:40am	6:00pm	
Lv. Nashville	1:28pm	1:40am	4:06pm
Lv. Evansville	4:40am	4:40pm	
Lv. Hopkinsville	11:30pm		
Lv. Princeton	2:55pm	2:27am	4:56pm

Ar. Paducah	4:15pm	3:40am	6:10pm
Lv. Paducah	4:20pm	3:45am	6:15pm

Ar. Fulton	6:00pm	4:50am	7:30pm
Ar. Memphis	8:20am	8:20am	10:40pm
Ar. N. Orleans	8:30pm	8:15pm	11:30am

North Bound	122	102	104
Lv. N. Orleans	7:10pm	9:10am	
Lv. Memphis	6:50am	8:40pm	
Lv. Paducah	6:00am	10:10am	12:35pm

Ar. Paducah	7:40am	11:30pm	1:40am
Lv. Paducah	7:50am	11:35pm	1:45am

Ar. Princeton	9:25am	12:30pm	3:08am
Ar. Hopkinsville	9:40am	1:40pm	3:23am
Ar. Evansville	6:25pm	9:40am	
Ar. Nashville	10:35am	1:20pm	3:51am
Ar. Owensboro	4:10pm	4:55pm	
Ar. Louisville	4:25pm	5:20pm	7:35am
Ar. Cincinnati	9:15am	9:15am	11:30am

#### CAIRO-HOPKINSVILLE LINE.

North Bound	135-836	101-80
Lv. Hopkinsville	6:40 am	11:20am
Lv. Paducah	7:45 am	8:30 pm

Ar. Paducah	9:25 am	4:15 pm
Lv. Paducah	9:30 am	7:00 pm

Ar. Cairo	11:25 am	8:35 pm
Ar. St. Louis	5:15 pm	7:08 am
Ar. Chicago	9:54 pm	6:08 am

South Bound	136-836	12-822
Lv. Chicago	10:00 am	6:20 pm
Lv. St. Louis	2:25 pm	6:40 pm
Lv. Cairo	6:40 pm	6:00 am

Ar. Paducah	8:35 pm	7:45 am
Lv. Paducah	9:40 pm	7:50 am

Ar. Princeton	10:15 pm	9:20am
Ar. Hopkinsville	11:25 pm	

#### ST. LOUIS DIVISION.

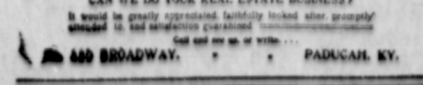
North Bound	306	374
Lv. Paducah	12:40pm	4:30pm
Ar. Chicago	4:30am	8:30pm
Ar. St. Louis	7:40pm	7:00am

South Bound	306	375
Lv. St. Louis	7:45am	8:40pm
Ar. Chicago	2:30pm	6:30pm
Ar. Paducah	2:35pm	11:00am

Trains marked thus \* run daily except Sunday. All other trains run daily.

Train 103 and 104 carry through sleepers between Cincinnati, Memphis and New Orleans. Trains 101 and 102 sleepers between Louisville, Memphis and New Orleans. Trains 80 and 82 sleepers between Paducah and St. Louis.

For further information address J. T. Donohue, agent, Paducah, Ky.; Geo. C. Wardfield, ticket agent, Union Depot, Paducah, Ky.; Harlow, D. P. A., Louisville, Ky.; John A. Scott, A. G. P. A., Memphis, Tenn.; A. H. Hanson, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.; C. C. McCarty, D. P. A., St. Louis, Mo.



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### THE MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Recommendations And Suggestions Made the Legislative Boards.

Following is the annual message of Mayor Yeiser to the two local boards:

Paducah, Jan. 20, 1905.  
Gentlemen:

As it is the custom, and in compliance with the charter, I herewith submit reports from the different departments of the city government.

I first desire to call your attention to the fact that for the year 1905, you will have to provide in your apportionment ordinance for a revenue in excess of ordinary expenses for running the city government, to meet obligations this year, and beyond what it has been in the past.

To begin with the city owes \$1,875 for a judgment secured against the city, because the city failed to carry out a contract with Roberts & Co., in regard to refunding the over the river bonds, and which was settled by compromise and ratified by the U. S. court; also, to provide \$3,332.30 for unpaid coupons that were failed to be paid for four years, the original amount being eighteen thousand dollars and interest, we having paid the balance, including interest on these coupons, which represented a large sum besides court cost, the legality of the bonds having been tested and the U. S. court deciding we had to pay same.

So above indebtedness has been met except before mentioned balance and interest on same.

#### Carnegie Library.

The general council pledged the city's faith to the library board to levy \$2,000 in addition to the amount required to be raised to provide for the running expenses according to contract with Mr. Carnegie when he donated the money to erect the library, and the board of trustees on the promise of the city to levy said additional amount have bought books and made other liabilities which it will be necessary to meet.

You will have to provide \$8,000 to pay interest on the \$200,000 4 per cent. bonds recently issued for internal improvement, such as streets, market house and new hospital. You will in addition have to commence at once providing by tax levy a sinking fund to pay the principal of these bonds when they become due, and it is made mandatory by charter provisions, all of which will require an additional tax levy annually to provide for the principal and interest on these bonds. On account of the raise made by the insurance companies of 25 per cent on premiums paid on fire insurance policies and the demand of the citizens generally on account, as I regard, arbitrary demand, for two additional fire departments for the year of 1904, and an up to date aerial ladder and the promise of reduction of the 25 per cent. when said demand of insurance companies was complied with. It is needless to say that the fire department was in need of improvements added, for which no appropriation was made, making the revenue for this department deficient, it being an unlooked for emergency, the council very properly created the debt necessary for these improvements, making it necessary to borrow ten thousand dollars to pay these expenses, which you will have to provide for in excess of your ordinary running expenses. It will as a consequence make the expense greater for the fire department than ever to keep it up to its present efficient standard. I believe we have the best equipped fire department of any city of its population in the country.

#### Light Department.

The light plant has been a success, in Paducah, and has saved the taxpayers many thousands of dollars by being owned by the city, but it needs to be enlarged on account of more demand being made for additional lights and reserve lights in case of a burnout. It has been published that the street lights have cost the city over one hundred dollars per light, while the facts and figures show, as evidenced by the superintendent's report and also shown on auditor's report, makes each light cost us approximately about \$60 per annum, there being 163 lights and the whole cost of running expenses for the plant being \$9,792.87.

#### Street Department.

The street department, including sewers, bridges, fills, culverts, etc., is a very expensive branch of the city government. We have a very competent, painstaking board of public works, men who have the city's welfare at heart and who virtually receive less pay for the service done

than any other arm of the city administration, and I believe you should give them your unqualified endorsement and support in all matters in which the city charter gives them control and supervision, and legislate to that end, their acts being always subject to your confirmation. I would be glad if you grant their requests as far as possible. There should be no friction between this board and the legislative department of the city, and there is no cause for any. This department has control of streets, markets, wharf, sewers and light department, according to charter. The streets should be improved as rapidly as possible with the bond money, and repaired and otherwise kept up, as the appearance and condition of the streets add much to the upbuilding of the city and comfort of the inhabitants, more perhaps, than any other department. I would recommend the use of good limestone, broken or crushed rock for repairs on the streets instead of gravel, as the original cost would, in my opinion, be very little more and the durability much greater.

There should be an ordinance passed compelling connection with the sanitary sewers within a reasonable length of time, and if done would add materially to our sanitary condition and thereby reduce the death rate, as has been demonstrated in other cities. Paducah is progressing more perhaps than any city in the state of Kentucky, and the municipality should keep abreast of the times and not suffer our city to drop behind in anything that would be for her betterment and building up as a commercial and manufacturing point.

#### Police Department.

The police department has been much neglected. The smallest amount of territory of any two policemen is about twenty-seven squares, and that down in the center of the city, where most of the wealth is centralized. Paducah covers quite a good deal of territory, all being entitled to police protection and the police force do splendid service considering the amount of area policed. Some parts of the city two policemen attend to seventy squares, which you know is difficult to police satisfactorily. In both police and fire departments there is being required better service and more rigid discipline than heretofore, and the outlook is for a continued improvement in both departments, which is largely due to the efforts of the police and fire commissioners, who, as I have said, have materially improved the efficiency of both departments.

#### City Cemetery.

The city has recently bought land for an additional city cemetery, for which the incoming administration will have to provide means in this year's tax levy, for \$3,005 and interest, also interest on other deferred payments for same amount due in two years. The ground within the present cemetery allotted to colored people is about all used up. I would recommend at once that new ground be laid off in the new city cemetery for both white and colored, as there are only high-priced lots in Oak Grove in the part apportioned for white burial purposes.

#### Waterworks' Contract.

The waterworks contract will expire in the year 1906, and it would be well for this council to take some action in regard to this matter before expiration of present contract agreement. I have always been an advocate of municipal ownership of this utility by the city, and I have not changed my views. But to bring the conditions before you through my recommendation there was an appraisal made of the waterworks in the city which the city refused to accept and paid all expenses of said appraisal as provided in the franchise. Afterwards, on my recommendation, I had submitted to the voters a proposition to build new waterworks, which was voted down by the people, at least not a sufficient majority to carry the proposition, but being a very important question and one which you will be compelled to decide I lay the matter before you now, so you can take such action as you deem proper. If you could succeed in getting an appraisal the value would be much higher on account of the new and splendid filtering system recently installed, which is meeting the approval of our citizens. I would recommend to buy same if possible. The management of the water company has been fair to the people and there can, I think, be no just complaint made of them. But if the city owned same the revenue derived therefrom would materially reduce our tax levy if managed properly. If my recommendation cannot be carried out you should make the most advantageous contract possible for future service, or build new waterworks.

#### New Sewer District.

An additional sewer district should be established, thereby extending the

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sewers outside of the present district, so the people could get benefit of sewer connection.

#### Other Recommendations.

The new city hospital will soon be completed and you should pass such ordinances as are proper in regard to the government and control of same. I again recommend to you, as in the past, that the city secure land for a public park or parks.

I herewith hand you reports from different departments of the city government, which I submit for your information.

While we have collected an excess of revenue over the amount anticipated it was distributed to amounts overdrawn, paying them all and a large part of the \$18,000 in excess paid for new fire departments built in 1904 and not provided for in the levy as shown by the auditor's report. This year we have to provide for bills payable as per auditor's statement in excess of our ordinary running expenses.

I would recommend that you conduct the city affairs on as economical a plan as possible, to secure for the people as much for the taxes levied as can be done.

Trusting everything will be done in all matters by the legislative departments with a view to the advancement and betterment of Paducah and her interests, I remain, respectfully, D. A. YEISER, Mayor.

#### Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D.

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#### MAY ORDER MORE RADIATORS AND PIPES

Mr. John O'Donnell, of Evansville, the expert who looked over the local I. C. depot steam heating plant and investigated its defects, has reported his findings to the officials at Chicago, which means if the officials accept his report a new boiler and more radiators will be ordered. The officials intended to install a big boiler at the depot and put in pipes to heat cars standing on the sidings and also to operate an air pump to clean coaches by air, but being unable to secure the right kind of boiler immediately, the matter had been indefinitely delayed.

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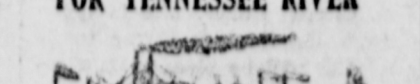
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# Over the Border

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**ROBERT BARR,**  
Author of "Jennie Baxter,"  
Journalist, Etc.

"Of course I should not have troubled you in this matter did I not think that if the arrangement your father wished to make was important this morning it is ten times more important tonight. Indeed, his liberty may depend upon it. I am well aware that it is open to me to say to the lady, 'Lord Strafford is in prison and is unable to carry out his generous intentions,' but I fear the deep disappointment will outweigh the force of the reasoning. Your charming sex is not always strictly logical."

"What was the sum agreed upon?" asked Frances, looking suddenly up.

"A thousand pounds in gold."

The question had been sprung upon him, and he had answered without thought, but as he watched her resolute face a shade of disappointment passed over his own, as if of inward regret that he had not made the amount larger should her determination prove his ally.

"I shall see that you get the money. If not tonight at the time promised."

She sent for Vollins and placed the case before him. The treasurer stood by the table with inscrutable face and listened in silence his somewhat furtive look bent on the Frenchman.

"Has Mr. De Courcy some scrap of writing in which my lord signifies that so considerable a payment is to be made?"

"My dear fellow, this relates to business that is not put in writing between gentlemen," said the foreigner hastily.

"I am not a gentleman, but merely the custodian of his lordship's purse. I dare not pay out gold without his lordship's warrant over his own signature."

"Mr. Vollins," pleaded the girl eagerly, "my father's life and liberty may depend on this disbursement. I will be your warrant. I have money of my own in the north, many times the sum I request you to pay. Should my father object I will refund to you the thousand pounds. Indeed, I will remit it to you in any case, and my father need know nothing of this transaction, therefore you cannot be held in scath."

"I must not do it," said Vollins. "His lordship is a very strict man of business and will hold me to account. He would forgive you, madam, but would be merciless with me did I consent to so unheard of a proposal. I dare not count out a thousand pounds to the first man who steps from the street and asks for it, giving me his bare word."

"But you have my word as well, Mr. Vollins," urged the girl.

"Madam, I beseech you to consider my position. I am but a servant. The money is not mine or you were welcome to it. Yet why all this haste? His lordship can undoubtedly be communicated with tomorrow, and then a word or line from him is sufficient."

"You have an adage, sir, of striking while the iron is hot. The iron may be cool enough by the time your scruples of legality are satisfied," warned De Courcy.

"His lordship can be communicated with. You are quite right, Mr. Vollins," cried Frances, remembering. "He has communicated with me. I ask you to read this letter and then to pay the thousand pounds required of you."

Vollins read the letter with exasperating slowness and said at last:

"There is nothing here authorizing me to pay the gentleman a thousand pounds."

"True, there is not, but my father says you are to pay me what money I require. I require at this moment a thousand pounds in gold."

"The money is for your safe conduct to the north."

"You have read my father's letter more carefully than I supposed by the time you took. He says you are to fulfill my wishes in this and every respect. Do you still refuse me?"

"No, madam, but I venture to advise you strongly against the payment."

"I thank you for your advice. I can certify that you have done your duty fully and faithfully. Will you kindly bring forth the gold?"

Vollins weighed the five bags of coin with careful exactitude and without further speech. De Courcy fastened them to his belt, then looked about him for his cloak, which he at last remembered to have left in the hall. Vollins called upon a servant to fetch it, taking it from him at the door. The Frenchman enveloped himself and so hid his treasure. The cautious Vollins had prepared a receipt for him to sign, made out in the name of Frances Wentworth, but De Courcy demurred; it was all very well for the counting house, he said, but not in the highest society. The Earl of Strafford would be the first to object to such a course, he insisted.

Frances herself tore the paper in pieces and said that a signature was not necessary, while Vollins made no further protest. She implored De Courcy in a whispered adieu to acquit faithfully the commission with which her father had entrusted him, and he assured her that he was now confident of success, thanking her effusively for the capable conduct of a difficult matter of diplomacy. Then, with a sweeping gesture of obeisance, he took his

courteous departure.

Mr. Vollins deferentially asked Frances to sign a receipt which he had written, acknowledging the payment of a thousand pounds, and to this document she hurriedly attached her signature.

## CHAPTER VI.

FRANCES made her way to the north, as her father had directed, and everywhere found the news of his arrest in advance of her—the country ablaze with excitement because of it. The world would go well once Strafford was laid low. He had deluded and misled the good king, as Buckingham did before him. Buckingham had fallen by the knife; Strafford should fall by the ax. Then the untrammelled king would rule well; quietness and industry would succeed this unhealthy period of fever and unrest.

The girl was appalled to meet everywhere this intense hatred of her father, and in her own home she was surrounded by it. Even her brother could not be aroused to sympathy, for he regarded his father not only as a traitor to his country, but as a domestic delinquent also, who had neglected and deserted his young wife, leaving her to die uncomfited without even a message from the husband for whom she had almost sacrificed her good name, bearing uncomplaining his absence and her father's wrath.

During the winter Frances saw little of her brother. Thomas Wentworth was here and there riding the country, imagining, with the confidence of extreme youth, that he was mixing in great affairs, as indeed he was, although he was too young to have much influence in directing them. The land was in a ferment, and the wildest rumors were afloat. Strafford had escaped from the Tower and had taken flight abroad, like so many of his friends who had now scattered in fear to France or to Holland. Again it was said the king's soldiers had attacked the Tower, liberated Strafford, and the Black Man was at the head of the wild Irish, resolved on the subjugation of England. Next, the queen had called on France for aid, and an invasion was imminent.

So there was much secret preparation, drilling and the concealing of arms against the time they should be urgently needed, and much galloping to and fro; a stirring period for the young, an anxious winter for the old, and Thomas Wentworth was in the thick of it all, mysteriously departing, unexpectedly returning, always more foolishly important than there was any occasion for. Yet had he in him the making of a man who was shortly to be tried by fire and steel when greater wisdom crowned him than was at present the case.

Since the letter she had received on the night of his arrest, the daughter heard no word from the father. Had he again forgotten, or were his messages intercepted? She did not know and was never to know. She had written to him, saying she had obeyed him, but there was no acknowledgment that her letter had reached its destination. Thus she waited and waited, gnawing impatience and dread chasing the rose from her cheeks, until she could wait no longer. Her horse and the southern road were at her disposal, with none to hinder, so she set forth for London, excusing herself for thus in spirit breaking her father's command by the assurance that he had not forbidden her return.

She avoided her father's mansion, knowing that Lady Strafford and her children were now in residence there, and went to the inn where she had formerly lodged. She soon learned that it was one thing to go to London and quite another to obtain entrance to Westminster hall, where the great trial, now approaching its end, was the fashionable magnet of the town. No place of amusement ever collected such audiences, and although money will overcome many difficulties, she found it could not purchase admission to the trial through any source that was available. Perhaps if she had been more conversant with the ways of the metropolis the golden key might have shot back the bolt, but with her present knowledge she was at her wits' end.

Almost in despair a happy thought occurred in her. She wrote a note to John Vollins, her father's treasurer, and asked him to call upon her, which the good man did at the hour she set.

"Your father would be troubled to know you are in London when he thinks you safe at home," he said.

"I could not help it, Mr. Vollins. I was in a fever of distraction and must have come even if I had walked. But my father need never know, and you remember he wrote that you were to help me. I wish a place in Westminster hall and cannot attain it by any other means in my power than by asking you."

(To Be Continued.)

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## MAKING INQUIRY.

Wm. H. Koettler, of the Scholz Pharmacy, St. Louis, has written Coroner James Crow to ascertain if James R. Ashland died in the city hospital here. He said the young man, who was about 29, formerly worked for him, and contracted the cocaine habit, and it is reported that he died here. Coroner Crow found no records of such a death, and if the young man died here it was probably under an assumed name.

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## RUNAWAY BOYS ARE INTERCEPTED HERE

One Got Tired of Hoosier School Master.

Sold His Belongings and Started Out to Travel—Came Here With a Partner.

## NO CHARGE AGAINST THEM

Jesse D. Johnson, aged 16, of Celina, O., and Ward W. Waters, age 19, of Chicago, two well dressed and genteel appearing young men, were taken into custody this morning at the I. C. depot by Special I. C. Officer James Flournoy and Officers Scott Ferguson and Aaron Hurley, for running away from home, but it developed that the young men are not totally unable to take care of themselves, and are moreover about as "wise" as to worldly ways as youngsters of their experience could possibly be, and the officers could do no more than them in communicating with parents.

Johnson was attending the Culver military academy in Culver, Ind., and two weeks ago got tired of the rigid discipline and decided to skedaddle. His room furnishings cost in the neighborhood of \$300 and young Johnson wrote his father that he did not like the academy and had decided to remain no longer. He received no encouragement to leave and finally secured his belongings and held a private auction at the school. He disposed of his effects, entire room furnishings, etc., at about \$60 and left the school. At Cincinnati he met young Waters in a hotel and they struck up a partnership. Waters himself had been attending the University of Illinois, and ran away and the two agreed to "do the country" together.

They came here on a freight train yesterday morning and remained until caught at the depot by the police this morning while trying to get out of town for the south. They are honest boys and aside from riding dead-head, have done nothing.

Johnson stated that he had telegraphed his father and if he wanted him to return home, would do so, but if he didn't would try to go to work here or anywhere he could find it.

Waters says he intends working in Paducah as what he has seen of the town "looks good." The boys are making the police station headquarters during their stay here.

## NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

### The Stages.

Cairo, 18.0—0.5 fall.  
Chattanooga, 4.4—0.3 all.  
Cincinnati, 12.9—1.4 fall.  
Evansville, 13.5—3.2 fall.  
Florence, 4.0—0.5 fall.  
Johnsonville, 7.7—1.2 fall.  
Louisville, 6.1—0.1 fall.  
Mt. Carmel, frozen.  
Nashville, 9.7—0.2 fall.  
Pittsburg, 3.6—0.1 fall.  
Davis Island Dam, 5.5—0.3 fall.  
St. Louis, 0.5—0.5 rise.  
Mt. Vernon, 12.5—1.1 fall.  
Paducah, 14.1—0.9 fall.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 14.1 on the gauge, a fall of 0.9 in the last 24 hours. Weather cold and snowing. Temperature, 39, with north winds.

SAUNDERS A. FOWLER, Local Observer.

The Fulton came out of Cumberland river yesterday with two barges of ties.

The Clyde is due today from Tennessee river, and will leave tomorrow on return trip.

The Charleston is here from Tennessee river.

An Evansville dispatch says: "We Three," is the name of a new boat that has entered the Rough river trade, running twice a week between Evansville and Hartford, Ky. Hartford being the head of navigation. This is the first boat to enter this trade in many years. Rough river is navigable for only thirty miles up, Hartford being the head of navigation.

It might be said that towboats here and at Joppa are completely blocked as the operators are afraid to move either way. The Vilford, which has been laying at Kuttawa in

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the Cumberland, will float out today but the Hook, Summers, Victor and Lyda are at Joppa and the heavy ice, it seems, will keep them there for some time.

The Dick Fowler left for Cairo on time this morning.

The Russell Lord is due from Tennessee river tomorrow.

The Duffey is due tomorrow from Tennessee river.

The Pavonia is in Cumberland river; due out about Friday.

The Margaret is due about Saturday from Tennessee river.

Captain Tom Garmon and Capt.

J. M. Gray, of New Orleans, who brought the Red River fleet here, were meeting many friends in the city this morning. The boats Scovel and Red River need repairs and were to have been pulled out on the ways, but it is said the ways people on account of the work on hand, cannot get them out before a week or 12 days.

Hundreds of wild geese made their appearance on the ice this morning, probably brought on in greater numbers by the north winds and snow.

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In the Near Future a Membership  
Contest Will Be In-  
augurated.

The joint conference between Secretary Blake Godfrey, the woman's committee and the old board of directors at the Y. M. C. A. building last night was highly satisfactory. A number of questions were discussed and decided on, and the old board of directors was practically reorganiz-

ed, a number of new members being added.

The officers elected were as follows:

Attorney Joseph Grogan, re-elected president.

Dr. R. A. Hicks, vice president.

Prof. John D. Smith, treasurer and chairman of finance committee.

W. D. Deakins recording secretary.

The board of directors consists of the above with the following: B. H. Scott, F. M. McGlathery, J. Crit Jones, Dr. B. B. Griffith, Fred McElwee, W. J. Hills, Dr. H. P. Sights, Capt. James Koger, Sam Hubbard and Mr. Wilkins.

It has been decided to begin an active canvass for new members. The old members will be accorded the privilege of the institution until their cards expire, and as soon as a

suitable man for chairman of the membership committee is found by President Grogan, the arrangements for the contest will be started. It is expected that committees will be at once appointed and hold a meeting this week to outline future work.

The new directors elected last evening were: Mr. Ben. L. Matthis, Mr. W. D. Deakins and Mr. Wilkins. Mr. Matthis is a practical Y. M. C. A. man, formerly being gymnasium director here, and all three will give valuable aid to the work.

The woman's committee decided last evening to furnish some of the up-stairs rooms for the purpose of renting, so as to make the building pay for itself.

Secretary Godfrey gave many valuable suggestions to the boards which will be adopted by them in their work and carried out later.

## MUST ACCEPT ALL.

None Can Be Excepted in Passing on  
Bitulithic Street.

Solicitor Ed Puryear has not drafted a formal opinion yet in regard to accepting the bitulithic work on Broadway, but it is understood that he has announced to members of the board of works that he does not believe the street can be accepted until it has been completed in every particular. The danger of establishing the precedent of accepting incomplete work with the understanding that it be completed, even could it be legally done, is very obvious, and while it is regrettable that the contractors are to be delayed in completing the work and getting their money, it is no more the fault

of one than the other.

Workmen are now taking up rejected brick between the car tracks, and the work of tearing up the sidewalks on the south side of Broadway for the new pavements has started. The north side has been pretty well torn up.

## MANY EXAMINATIONS.

The government civil service is preparing to hold many examinations all over the country for the hundreds of positions to be filled by the Isthmian canal commission. At the one here a few days ago there were nearly a dozen applicants for the positions. The next examinations are on February 13th for a variety of things, and following that there is one on March 8-9, for clerk, draughtsman and surveyor.

The local examiner, Mr. Fred B.

Ashton, today received still another notice, which is for an examination here March 1-2 for assistant in the Philippine service. Mr. Ashton will furnish all information desired.

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